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Subject: U.S. Patent Application of von BORSTEL et al
"COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR TREATMENT OF
MITOCHONDRIAL DISEASES"
Serial No. 09/930,494
Your Ref.: 18017-CP2; Our Ref.: 1331-352

Dear Lewis:

The present application has been redocketed, setting the new due date at **May 19, 2003**. Extensions can be obtained, if necessary, upon payment of a fee.

Please advise which group is to be elected. Please also advise if one or more divisional applications are to be filed to the non-elected subject matter.

Kind regards.

Very truly yours,

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